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TO: FEC Reports Analysis Division

FR: Gordon Ball for US Senate Committee

DATE: 3.23.2015

RE: RFAI Dated 2.15.15 covering the Q3-2014 report (7.19.14 – 09..30.14)

The Committee is in receipt of your letter dated 2/15/15 and offers the following response:

1. Excessive/impermissible contributions:

- a. The contribution from The Terry Law Firm was allocated to Braxton Terry, partner. The memo entry is included in the amended report.
- b. The contribution received from Tommy Smith & Associates was refunded and will reflect on Q1-2015 report.
- c. The contribution from Valuesource Business Advisors was refunded and will reflect on the Q1-2015 report.
- 2. The excessive portion of John Beyer's contribution was refunded and will reflect on the Q1-2015 report.
- 3. The Committee received notification that the candidate was making a loan and accordingly reported the amount on the 7/23 48-Hour Report. Subsequently, the decision was made NOT to deposit the loan receipt. Therefore, the amount was not reported on the Q3-2014 disclosure report.
- 4. The Committee submitted a complete report in the initial submission. However, re-issues of the referenced contributions have been included in this submission.
- 5. The in-kind contributions referenced in your letter were listed on page 5-6 of Schedule A, which was submitted timely. However, the re-issues have been included in this amended report.
- 6. The ActBlue aggregation has been corrected to reflect the correct total and format.
- 7. The Committee's best efforts were to ask for the employer/occupation information, clear and conspicuous, in the original solicitation. The committee sent follow-up communication to the donor within 30-days of the receipt. Any subsequent missing employer/occupation information has been included in this report.
- 8. The in-kind contributions from Gordon Ball have been moved to Line 11d.
- 9. The due dates on the loans were corrected on the amended Q2-2014 report filed on 10/23/2014.